

## COMBINED DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION &amp; POWER OF ATTORNEY

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 I BELIEVE I AM THE ORIGINAL, FIRST AND SOLE INVENTOR (if only one name is listed below) OR AN ORIGINAL, FIRST AND JOINT INVENTOR (if plural names are listed below) OF THE SUBJECT MATTER WHICH IS CLAIMED AND FOR WHICH A PATENT IS SOUGHT ON THE INVENTION ENTITLED:

## HIGH SPEED DATA TRANSFER BETWEEN MAINFRAME STORAGE SYSTEMS

the specification of which (check only one item below):

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the content of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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(Application Serial No.)

(Filing Date)

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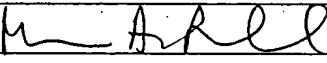
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